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MAMMOTH CAVE AS VIEWED BY NEW YORKERS

Should be Placed in Hands of a Company who would Make it a Famous Resort.

Recently we had a story in this paper about the strike of the guides at Mammoth Cave. The Northern newspapers have had much to say about Kentucky's Wonder, and the Morning Sentinel, of Amsterdam, N. Y., has the following:

For a day or two last week Kentucky's great natural wonder, the Mammoth Cave, was closed on account of a strike of all the guides employed by the management. Matters were speedily adjusted, however, and within 48 hours the faithful guides were at their posts and ready for duty. This is said to have been the first time that the cave has been closed to the public since 1898, a period of 103 years. Thirty years ago this wonderful exhibition of the handiwork of nature was better advertised than it is to-day, though it still surpasses in beauty, size and grandeur all the caves that have yet been explored. Some day, after the death of the last of the 11 nephews and nieces of Dr. John Croghan, who bequeathed the property to them at his death, many years ago, the property will be sold and the proceeds therefrom will be divided among the heirs of the cave. A few years ago there were but three of the eleven beneficiaries of Dr. Croghan's bequest alive. Should the cave fall into the hands of a modern American citizen with sufficient capital to advertise it and restore it to its pristine glory as one of the eight wonders of the world, it would easily become an all-the-year resort, with golf links, fishing and boating and hunting, the year round. It is a lamentable fact that to-day a large percentage of the people who visit the cave are Europeans who visit America and have the "Mammoth Cave of Kentucky" marked on their itinerary before they leave their homes. But the main fault lies with the failure of the owners and managers to spend a single dollar in the form of advertising during the past quarter of a century. Had the great falls of Niagara been obscured from the view of the world for 48 hours, or been held up by a strike, the fact would have been known in every city of any size in the world, and even in the smaller cities, villages and hamlets where newspapers are published and read. But for the news of the cave's strike, we had to await the arrival of "The Glasgow Times," edited by James M. Richardson, within 19 miles of the earth's great cavern. A number of Amsterdamians have visited the Mammoth Cave on their trips to the South, but of recent years few have stopped on their journeys southward from Cincinnati and Louisville to see the marvelous silent testimonial to the puissance of the Ruler of the universe.

McHENRY.

June 15.—There is a great deal of sickness here and there have been several deaths since last week.

Mrs. Edna Taylor and children, who live near Rochester, visited here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Johnson, of Cromwell, is visiting her brother this week.

Mr. Robert Waitland and family are going to move to town soon.

Mr. Stanford Dunn visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Brown and little son, Orville, and Mr. W. M. Growbarger visited Mr. James H. Growbarger, of Rockport, last week.

Mrs. Brown, of Pond Run neighborhood, visited her daughter, Mrs. Roy Stevens, last week.

Mr. John Burton got killed in the mines last week by a car of coal running over him.

Mrs. Ida Brown, Mrs. Barnaby Swain and Miss Andra Growbarger were the guests of Mrs. Nervia Johnson, Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. Render of McHenry gave the girls and boys a musical Saturday night. All report a pleasant time.

Dr. Chas. Crowder, who has just located here, is being highly praised.

Mr. Everett Hawes' baby was buried Sunday afternoon at the Fisher grave yard.

Mr. Murry Daniel, of Beaver Dam

was the guest of Mrs. M. Render, this week.

The musical at Mr. Stevens, Tuesday night was greatly enjoyed.

Miss Carrie Shull, of Hopewell who has been visiting Miss Janeave for some time returned home Saturday.

Mr. Eldridge Brown visited Mr. Porter Hunley Sunday.

Mrs. Manthly Phelps is very ill.

Play Made Hit at McHenry.

The Hartford Players Club presented "A Couple of Curious Courtships" at the McHenry Opera House, Tuesday night to a large audience of well pleased people. Manager Smith stated that the attendance was better than for several months. Judging from the applause the entire play was enjoyed, and the musical features made a hit.

Quite a number of people from Centertown, Taylor Mines and Rockport saw the show. While in McHenry the members of the company were entertained at Mrs. Baschear's, and she showed them every courtesy possible, and her favors will not be soon forgotten.

Death of W. H. Mauzy.

Mr. William Harrison Mauzy, one of Hartford's old and highly respected citizens, died at his residence here last Sunday morning about 7 o'clock after a lingering illness. Funeral services were conducted at the family residence Monday evening by Rev. J. W. Bruner, of the Baptist Church, after which the remains were borne to Oakwood and interred.

Mr. Mauzy was 65 years old at the time of his death. He was twice married, his first wife being Miss Alice Anglen. To this union were born five children, three of whom are still living—Mr. Z. L. Mauzy, of Port Arthur, Texas; Mrs. G. G. Morris, of Providence, Ky., and Mrs. G. G. Severin, of Morgantown, Ky. His last wife was Miss Florence Hocker, whose untiring devotion to him during his last illness made easier his bed of suffering. To the last union were born ten children, five of whom are living—Isabelle, Winnie, Emma Gene, May and Earl. The dead are Herman, a son who was killed in Mississippi, and four infants.

NARROWS.

June 14.—Mrs. Henry Carter visited in Oxfordville Wednesday.

Mr. Box, of Tennessee, visited his niece, Mrs. William Hirsch Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Tarre Boswell is visiting her daughter Mrs. W. C. Loyal, at Echols this week.

Misses Annie Mattingly, Mary Barrett and Ota Howard of Whitesville visited Miss Isabel Thomas Sunday.

Mrs. O. L. Shultz of Beaver Dam is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shultz and family this week.

Mr. Claude Shultz returned from a business trip to Cadiz, Monday.

Mrs. Ida Ranfrow and daughter, Miss Ellis, visited relatives in Owensboro last week.

What cutting is in progress here this week. A big yield of good quality is expected.

Corn clean and a big crop planted.

About seventy-five per cent of a crop of tobacco has been planted.

Oat crops practically a failure. Grass poor and fruit scarce.

ARNOLD.

June 12.—Health is very good in this community at the present time.

Several went to Flint Springs Sunday to the W. O. W. dedication.

Singing at Mt. Liberty church has stopped on account of the scare about measles.

Sunday school at this place is very light on account of the people being afraid to come on account of the measles.

There will just be about one-fourth of a tobacco crop on account of scarcity of plants. Crops are looking very well but are needing rain badly.

Success to the Republican and its readers.

Notice.

The A. S. of E. Stock Committee will ship stock from Beaver Dam, Thursday June 20. Those that have stock to ship will please notify the Committee.

L. B. TICHENOR,
JOHN M. SHULTZ,
SILAS STEVENS,
Committee.

THOMPSON CASE TO BE TRIED IN JULY

Son Accused of Murdering Father Will be Tried on July 17.

Dixon, Ky., June 12.—Thomas Thompson, accused of the murder of his father, Henry Thompson, on December 26, will be tried before a jury in the Wabash County circuit court Monday July 17. The date for the trial was set by Circuit Clerk Withers. Court convenes here the first Monday in July.

Thirty-two witnesses have been summoned by the prosecution, among them being the alleged eye witness Brown.

There is very little talk openly about the murder case, but it is realized that there is a world of deep feeling that does not come to the surface. It is claimed that the sentiment here is crystallizing into a belief that Thompson will go absolutely clear and without the least trouble.

The whole case is up to Brown to prove. He is the man who claims that he was in the little clump of woods near Providence on Christmas day when he saw Thompson and young Benjamin in an argument with Henry Thompson, the merchant. He claims that Thompson slapped his son and that the son retaliated by pulling a gun and opening fire with deadly effect.

The fate of young Thompson depends on the ability of his attorneys to batter down the testimony of this witness Brown and to discredit him in the eyes of the jury. Brown is not a Providence man. He is a new comer and his past is being raked over with fine-toothed combs. Some of the most enthusiastic of Thompson's friends claim that they will be able to bluff Brown out before the trial and that he will never take the witness stand.

It is expected that this trial will settle the case for all time, and it is generally conceded that if Thompson is acquitted the case will close and remain a sealed mystery for all time.

Will Practice Law.



HON. McDOWELL A. FOGLE

Hon. McDowell A. Fogle, son of Judge and Mrs. J. E. Fogle, returned last week from Lexington, Ky., where he had finished the law course in Kentucky State University.

Mr. Fogle is also a graduate of Hartford College, and Georgetown College and is naturally talented for law work. His school life has always been marked by his close application to his studies and he ranked high with his class men and instructors at Kentucky State University. He has not definitely decided upon a location for practice, but will practice in Hartford temporarily, and he and Otto C. Martin were sworn in at the local bar Monday morning.

Quarterly Meeting A. S. of E.

Notice is hereby given to all local and county unions of the Green River District A. S. of E. that the regular quarterly meeting of the Green River District Union A. S. of E. will convene in the City of Owensboro on Thursday July 6th, at nine o'clock a. m. and continue till the business of the Association is completed; remember that the basis of representation will be one delegate each local union; and one delegate from each county Union in the District, together with the individual members composing the several counties.

Executive Board, we insist on a full attendance at this meeting from the fact that under an amendment to our constitution this will be the time to elect officers for the ensuing year, we call attention to the order which was made at our April meeting requiring the secretary to prepare a complete Directory of all pools, and for the secretary to comply with this order it will be absolutely necessary to have a complete list of all the pools in the district, so please see that all lists are completed and sent to the proper officials of the several counties and report to the District convention on July 6th, at Owensboro.

4813 S. B. ROBERTSON, Sec.

Charged With Serious Offense.

Mont. Daugherty, a farmer of the Cromwell neighborhood, was arrested at his home shortly after daylight Wednesday morning on a warrant charging him with having committed immoral acts with his step-daughter, who it is said will soon become a mother. The warrant was issued by Judge R. R. Wadding about midnight Tuesday night upon an affidavit made by Labe Hines, a near relative of the girl.

The arrest was made by Sheriff T. H. Black, and in default of \$2,000 bond was placed in jail to await his examining trial to-morrow morning.

Paintings of Col. Edwin Forbes

Col. Edwin Forbes, of Fordville has completed a map from Mitchell (now Ellimith) to Jones Station, showing the strange and unique places between these stations. Also twelve 9 1/2 by 11 inches, water color paintings of views on either side of the railroad between these stations. The paintings are the Hedden Cave, Indian Arrow Head Ridge, Dark Hollow, three views, Indian Council Rock, The Mammoth Knot, four views, including engraving published in the Chicago Saturday Blade March 14, 1891, The Whittinghill Homestead, Newton Hedden's first Log Cabin in 1881, Indian Moccasin Tree and other strange scenes.

The painting and drawings were made for Mr. James Barr, of Glasgow Scotland, and they will be taken to him in July by Mr. A. Handerson, of Fordville, who is a brother-in-law to Mr. Barr. He will take with the paintings a small box of Indian arrow head points from the ridge where they were made. Until sent to Scotland the map and paintings can be seen at the home of Col. Forbes, near Fordville.

Baptist Church.

J. W. BRUNER, Pastor.

Sunday school session at 9:45 o'clock Dr. E. W. Ford, Supt.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Theme of sermon, "How to Have a Strong Church."

B. Y. P. U. meeting at 7 P. M. Evening worship at 8 o'clock.

Let none of God's people forsake His house on the account of warm weather.

Praying at Rinder Saturday night and Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Public cordially invited to worship with us.

A. S. of E. Notice.

All locals of the American Society of Equity are urged to send delegates to the County Union July 7th and 8th, 1911. There will be much important business to come before the body and a full delegation is urgently called for.

4814 HENRY M. PIRTLIM, Sec'y.

Soldiers are Withdrawn.

Washington, June 14.—The second stop in the general withdrawal of the armed forces of the United States from the vicinity of Mexico was taken Saturday. President Taft approved a War Department order which will return to their posts the 4,000 soldiers at Galveston, Tex., and the 1,500 at San Diego, California.

It is expected that the next move will be the early withdrawal of the naval vessels assembled at Guantanamo Cuba and San Diego, leaving only the maneuver division split into several units and distributed through Texas to meet any emergency.

Nail Case Affirmed.

A telegram was received here yesterday afternoon from Frankfort announcing that the Court of Appeals had affirmed the decision of Nall vs. the City of Hartford, which was recently tried in the Ohio Circuit Court, giving the plaintiff damage in the amount of \$750.

BEAVER DAM WANTS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Effort made for It—Arrival and Departure of Visitors—80,138 Pieces of Mail

June 14.—Messrs. S. P. Austin, Lee Barnes, J. D. Williams, V. M. Stewart, Harry Monroe, E. P. Taylor, S. F. Casabier, C. M. Taylor, J. M. Porter and Dr. S. D. Taylor went to Hartford Monday to see about getting the location of a County High School in our town. Another high school is due in the County and these progressive people think our town is the place.

Mrs. R. J. Stevens who has been visiting relatives in Springfield, Ill., returned to her home here Friday.

Mrs. Lizzie Barnes Taylor is quite ill of malarial fever. A nurse from Owensboro arrived Wednesday to care for her.

Mrs. Mayme L. Barrass will leave next week for Washington, D. C., for a week or ten days visit to Mr. and Mrs. Payton. After which time Mr. and Mrs. Alsop and Mrs. Barrass with a party of friends will go to the Lakes and other points of interest for the summer.

Miss May Towery, of Princeton, Ky. who has been visiting Miss Myrl Miller for the past week will leave for her home today.

Mr. Jno. Arbuckle, who sold his interest in the meat shop here some time ago, has gone to Central City to work in the meat shop.

Miss Grace Tappan, of South Carolina, Ky., is the guest of her sister here this week.

Mr. Orval Taylor, son of Dr. Taylor came home last week having finished his course in the State University at Lexington and now has his diploma from that institution.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casabier were called to Rockport on the account of the death of the child of Mr. and Mrs. A. Carne, Thursday.

Master Hugh Edward Taylor, son of Mr. Shafby Taylor, of Crawley, La., is visiting his grandfather, Mr. Geo. Barnes.

Miss Bonnie Darr, of Hopkinsville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jim Phelps.

Mrs. B. J. French spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tichenor spent the day at Hartford Monday.

Miss Irene Rhoads spent last week with her aunt at McHenry.

Miss Willie Plummer spent a few days last week with her aunt at Sunday.

Mrs. Ike Sanderfur, of Hartford is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mate Hunley here this week.

Mrs. Robt. King, of Hartford, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Pleas here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Tichenor spent Sunday at the Point with Mrs. Tichenor's father.

Miss Ruth Bennett, who has been ill of typhoid fever for the past few weeks is improving nicely.

Mr. John Waddle, who has been seriously ill is able to be on the streets again.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther, of Taylor Mines, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Austin Sunday.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will give an ice cream supper Friday evening for the benefit of the church. Everybody invited.

The postal clerks in the local post office and the rural route services are rejoicing that the month of May is over. Orders were sent out from the headquarters at Washington stating that every piece of mail handled during the month of May must be counted. The clerks report 80,138 pieces of mail were handled, which shows that a great deal of business is carried on at Beaver Dam Post Office.

Crop Prospects Good.

Calhoun, Ky., June 14.—Corn gives promise of being one of Western Kentucky's heaviest crops this year. The corn acreage is said to be much heavier than it has been for several years, hardly a farmer having overlooked this feature in planning his summer's operations.

Reports received in Calhoun relative to the corn situation are uniform, practically all bling to the effect that the corn acreage is larger.

An indication of the extensiveness of the corn planting is gleaned in reports from Ohio and Davison counties to the effect that practically

every farmer has planted from ten to 100 acres. In McLean county, where conditions are somewhat different from those of other counties, the corn acreage has increased materially. In nearly all the other districts there has been an increase in the corn acreage.

Tobacco in this section is receiving the usual close attention.

Crowd Sees Drowning.

Paducah, Ky., June 12.—A thousand people saw Rodney Jackson, sixteen years old, drown in the lake at Wallace Park here this afternoon. By the time other swimmers realized the boy was drowning, he had sunk for the last time and rescuers had lost the place where he disappeared.

The lake is small and in fifteen minutes divers had recovered the body. Crowds on the bank watching swimmers had no idea that they were witnessing a tragedy until they saw the body carried out of the water and efforts made to revive the drowned lad.

Court Date Changed.

At the last term of county court an order was made changing the date for Esq. Jackson's court at Centertown. Court will hereafter be held on Saturday after the third Monday in each month.

Division Board Meeting.

The meeting of the different division boards will occur June 24, to elect teachers.

Division No. 1, at Barnett's Creek Church, 9 a. m.

Division No. 2, at Fordville, 9 a. m.

Division No. 3, at Dundee, 9 a. m.

Division No. 4, at Mt. Pleasant, 9 a. m.

Division No. 5, at Green Brier, 9 a. m.

Division No. 6, at Centertown, 9 a. m.

All trustees and teachers should be present so that all positions may be filled and contracts signed.

HENRY LEACH, Supt.

WHITESVILLE.

June 12.—George Brooks and Louie McCarty went to Evansville Thursday to be at the aviation meet, return at Dundee yesterday.

J. A. Edge and wife visited the latter's parents, J. R. Mosley and wife Dundee yesterday.

Ben J. Bristow went to Owensboro yesterday.

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Will D. Neel and Mary Edith Neel were married in Owensboro yesterday.

Misses Lucy McCarty and Grace Brook paid Miss Sallie H. White, Pleasant Ridge, a week's visit, returning Saturday.

Pauline Ware is the guest of May Coots, Habit, for a few days.

Austin Ramsey was in Owensboro yesterday on business.

Ed Mason, Fordville, is paying Mr. Bob Bull a short visit.

Mrs. Frank Purcell left last Thursday for Denver, Colorado, to spend the summer and fall with her son, Dr. H. A. Purcell.

Gona Simpson, Owensboro, was the guest of Ina Lee Lyons last week.

D. and Emma Hays, Owensboro, were the guests of Mrs. O. H. Haffey Saturday and Sunday.

Madisonville, drove up from Owensboro Madisonville, drove up from Owensboro in his automobile yesterday, returning last night to Owensboro, where they are visiting relatives.

Mrs. Herman Taylor and daughter Margarette, of Owensboro, visited her father-in-law, H. Y. Taylor, Saturday and Sunday.

Boulah May left yesterday for Bowling Green to attend school.

Mr. W. Kelly and wife, of Deamfield, and Marvin Moseley and wife, of Owensboro, visited Mrs. O. W. Edgo Saturday.

The ice cream supper given by the Ladies' Aid Society Saturday night was a great success.

Notice.

Those who have stock to ship will please notify the committee, Thursday or Friday—wool delivery days—at Beaver Dam.

W. B. TICHENOR.

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